



SUMMER SESSION 2020

FULL-TIME LOAN & GRANT REQUIREMENTS

You must meet the following requirements:

- ✓ **Study period start and end dates match those on your loan application.**
For example: If you register for May through July courses you can only apply for a loan for those dates OR if you register for June through August courses you can only apply for a loan for those dates. You cannot request funding for a month during which you are not registered.

AND

- ✓ **Students must complete at least 12 weeks of study in a 15-week period.** This allows for **three one-week breaks** or a **combination of a one-week and a two-week break** within the 15 weeks, and ensures students are full-time for Student Aid BC purposes.

AND

- ✓ **Undergraduate students must enroll in at least 4.5 units of credit or 3.0 for graduate students.** Undergraduate students who have permanent disability status registered with their student loan provider are considered full-time at 3.0 units per term or 1.5 units for graduate students.



Duplicate (DU), Mutually Exclusive (MX), Waitlisted (WL) and Audited (AU) courses do not count towards your full-time enrollment

SUMMER SESSION DATES FOR LOAN PURPOSES

<i>MAY</i>	<i>JUNE</i>	<i>JULY</i>	<i>AUGUST</i>
May 04 4 May 31			
May 04 2	June 28		
	June 06 5 June 28		
May 04	1		August 21
		July 03 6 July 25	
		July 03 3	August 21
			August 1 7 August 21

The above dates correspond with the drop down menu on the Student Aid BC loan application. Some start dates and end dates may differ, please check with our office regarding your options. We *may* advise you to complete a reassessment in order to attach your summer studies onto an existing loan that is already place for the current academic year. **Please visit our office for more information.**



Avoid future loan headaches

Visit the Student Awards & Financial Aid office to discuss your plans before dropping or changing any summer courses!



Things to consider before withdrawing from full-time studies:

1. Six months after withdrawing from full-time studies, the student becomes responsible for starting to repay outstanding loans and accrued interest.
2. Any loan or grant disbursements awarded for the current session are forfeited. In particular, the University will not confirm enrolment for individuals who are not full-time students.
3. If student loans and grants have already been released for the current term and a student subsequently withdraws, the provincial student loan authority may require that a portion be repaid.

**If you do not qualify as a full-time student,
you may be able to apply for PART-TIME LOAN OR GRANT FUNDING**

Contact our office for more information.